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1. PLEASE THANK MOGAMI FOR HIS ASSISTANCE. HE HAS HIS
FACTS A LITTLE CONFUSED, HOWEVER. WE HAVE BEEN WORKING
VERY CLOSELY WITH THE BRITISH FOR THE PAST TWO MONTHS
ON A RESOLUTION DEALING WITH OVERSEAS OFFICES OF THE
RHODESIAN REGIME WHICH WE HOPE TO SEE INTRODUCED INTO
THE SECURITY COUNCIL NEXT WEEK.

2. WE HAVE NOT YET ANNOUNCED OUR FORMAL COSPONSORSHIP OF
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THIS MEASURE AND WOULD HOPE THAT THE GOB WOULD NOT MAKE
IT PUBLIC BEFORE WE DO SO UPON THE RESOLUTION'S INTO-
DUCTION. THE PRACTICAL EFFECT OF THE RESOLUTION WILL BE
TO ENABLE THE U.S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT TO CUT OFF THE
EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS BY THE RHODESIAN INFORMATION OFFICE
AS AN OFFICIAL VOICE OF THE SMITH GOVERNMENT, THUS LEADING
TO ITS FINANCIAL STRANGULATION. (FYI: WE EXPECT THAT

RIO MAY ATTEMPT TO RECONSTITUTE ITSELF UNDER THE SAME
OR DIFFERENT NAME WITH PRIVATE AMERICAN FINANCING).

3. THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT HAS NOT BEEN DEEPLY INVOLVED
IN THE DRAFTING OF THE UN RESOLUTION, THOUGH IT APPARENTLY
WILL SUPPORT IT. THE FRENCH CLOSED THE EQUIVALENT OF
RIO IN PARIS SEVERAL WEEKS AGO WTHOUT EXPLANATION.
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